Welsh feel the pressure of white flight

DAFYDD Iwan, who is running for the presidency of the Welsh nationalist party, Plaid Cymru, has caused uproar amongst Britain's politically correct brigade.

During a speech at a Welsh cultural festival he suggested that English people were moving to Wales to "avoid Pakistanis and Indians who had moved into their towns."

IWAN: People have a right to maintain their communities.

The Labour Party in Wales were beside themselves with anger and demanded Mr Iwan withdraw his candidature. A spokesman told the Press Association:

"The comments are reminiscent of the anti-immigration policies of the British National Party. We urge him to pull out of the race for the Plaid Cymru presidency.

"This is an attempt to brand English people moving into rural Wales as racists."

But Mr Iwan defended his remarks:

"We must be open about this," he told the British news agency. "That is the truth of it, English people are coming to Wales to avoid immigration."

"I refute any form of racism, but we have got to accept people have a right to maintain their communities and live and work within them."

Race attack?

DANIEL Batten, a 20 year-old builder, died from a single stab wound to the chest after he and two friends were attacked by a group of seven men in Harlow in Essex at the beginning of August.

Officers investigating the murder said they were keen to talk to a group of Asian and Chinese men seen in the area shortly before the stabbing.

Eight years of asylum fraud

Two asylum seekers from Angola who arrived in Britain in 1995 and were given leave to stay until 2003 have been jailed for 18 months for cheating taxpayers out of £50,000.

Genira Carios and Gualter Jose claimed regular cheques as single parents, despite having no children. They also received Working Family Tax Credit and Income Support, while living at their Lambeth address in South London.

When officers raided the flat in Wandsworth Road they found a large number of financial documents relating to overseas property investments.

Immigration is out of control

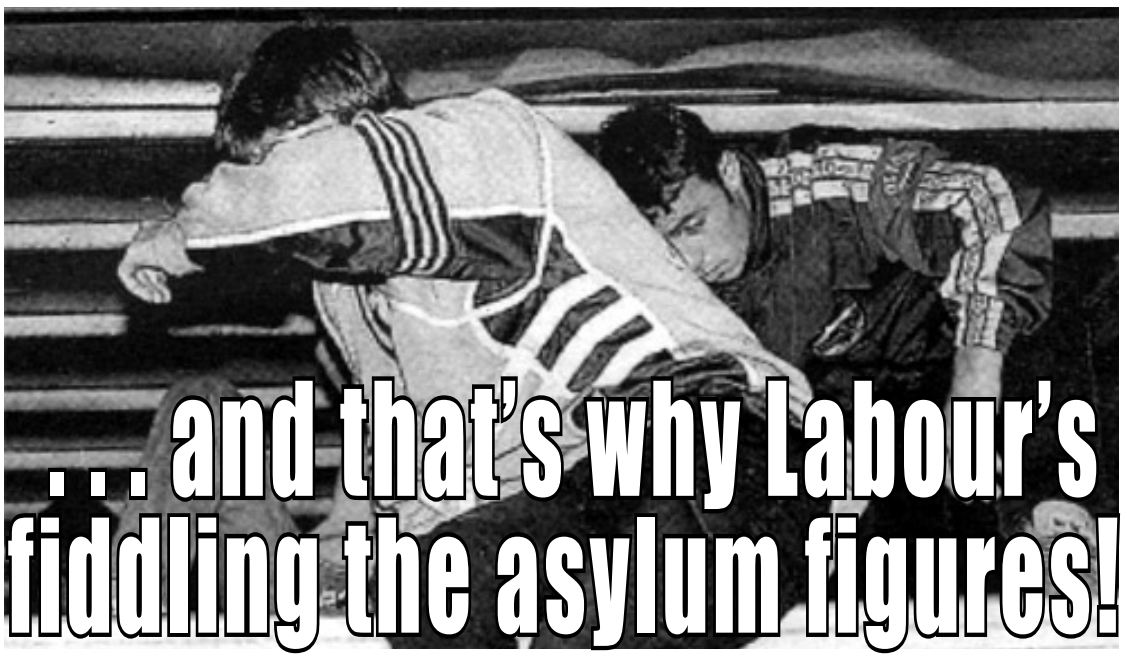
SIR Andrew Green, the chairman of Migration Watch UK, an independent think-tank that monitors immigration into Britain, said people were beginning to worry about the extent of immigration to Britain after being assured for many years that rigid controls were in place.

"This Labour government has permitted and is now encouraging immigration on a massive scale - by far the highest in our history,"

"This is against the wishes of the public and must be reversed," he said.

Estimates by Migration Watch last year that primary immigration to Britain was running at two million a decade were dismissed by Tony Blair as 'scaremongering' but now these figures have been substantiated by official sources in the Immigration Service.

Migration Watch predicts that 240,000 non-EU immigrants will come to Britain every year, with these figures taking into account the illegal arrivals and the overstayers as well as legal immigrants and asylum seekers.



... and that's why Labour's fiddling the asylum figures!

THE Government's figures published at the end of August which claim that the number of asylum seekers arriving in Britain has fallen from 8,900 in October 2003 to 3,610 for the month of June 2003, have been doctored.

That's according to an immigration officer who contacted journalists at the *Sunday Times* to tell them that he and his colleagues had been told to turn a blind eye to illegal immigrants arriving in Britain, so that they are not included in the latest asylum figures. This is so that the Prime Minister can say he has met his target for halving the number of asylum seekers arriving in Britain.

The officer said that staff were actively being discouraged from arresting illegal immigrants to deflate the statistics artificially.

"The scheme works because most illegal immigrants lodge claims for asylum only if they are caught, as a means of slowing the deportation process. If they remain at liberty a claim is much less likely to be made," he told the paper.

"Arrests have been discouraged. Managers have been told that we must be mindful not to increase the (asylum) intake figure.

"There are thousands and thousands in the country that are working illegally but we are discouraged from going and arresting them because that will increase the intake figures."

The Home Office claimed last year that there could be as many as 100,000 illegal immigrants working in Britain, but this was contradicted by John Tincey, a spokesman for the Immigration Services Union, who said the figure was probably nearer to ONE MILLION.

Labour is trying to mask the extent of immigration into Britain today just as the Conservative Government before sought to suppress the true figures. Labour's fiddling of the asylum figures was only made public because one civil servant refused to be part of the deception.

It is the arrival of the British National Party, in such dramatic fashion, to mainstream politics that has given people the strength to stand up and say when something is wrong.

Thanks to the success of the BNP, the conspiracy of silence that has stifled debate on immigration for the last 30 years has been exposed and discredited. Now, at last, British people feel able to speak out and voice their concerns on this most important of subjects.

Thoughts on Immigration

***The British people were never given the chance to vote on whether they wanted Britain to become a 'multicultural' society.**

*The British National Party is opposed to 'multiculturalism' because it fragments society and generates conflict.

***The British National Party seeks to protect and preserve the ethnic and cultural integrity of the British people.**

*Labour and Conservative Governments, for the past fifty-five years, have allowed large scale immigration into Britain from the Third World against the clear wishes of the British people.

***Now leading population experts predict that the native British people will be a minority in our own country within 60 years.**

*The British National Party will end immigration and the settlement of asylum seekers in Britain.

***The British National Party will encourage immigrants to return to their country of ethnic origin by providing generous financial incentives to help those who want to return home.**

'Sun' Poll pinpoints concerns

IMMIGRATION is now of greater concern to voters than crime! That is the finding of a *YouGov* poll published in *The Sun* on August 20th.

When 2,309 voters were asked to list the most important political issues facing Britain today, 39% identified immigration and asylum, while 32% cited law and order, 9% terrorism and 6% focused on the Euro.

Eight out of 10 people questioned said that the Government's immigration policy was too soft, and 80% of those agreed with the statement that 'the problem of asylum seekers is out of control'.

More than half of the sample considered that immigration had changed our country for the worse by altering the British character beyond recognition.

Filestore sell-off will risk security and cost jobs

LABOUR's latest privatisation plans will not only put 1000 civil servants on the dole but will also put the records of millions of people who claim disability and mobility allowance into the hands of an unvetted, run-for-profit company.

Next July, Britain's 56 filestores for the Department for Work and Pensions are to be handed over to the private sector. That means that the management and storage of personal and confidential data on millions of British citizens will be taken out of the hands of trusted civil servants and given to casual workers taken off the street and working for the minimum wage.

The Nelson store in Pendle looks after 9 million files on 48 miles of shelving in a warm, air-conditioned storage area the size of Wembley Stadium.

One of the Government's favoured bidders is Hays, who currently work out of container lorries that have neither heat nor light.

Blair & Co. believe privatisation will save £15 million which is money vitally needed by Labour to house and feed asylum seekers and fund the British end of the American adventure in Iraq.

Families in debt

FIGURES from the Office for National Statistics show that the average family in Britain is now £37,500 in debt.

This is a rise of more than 50% since Labour came to power in 1997, while the average income has grown by less than 23%.

Chancellor Gordon Brown's claim that his prudent fiscal policies would abolish boom and bust has turned out to be yet another lie from Labour.

A survey of economists from the City and academic institutions forecast that it is only a matter of time before this debt boom is followed by a bust prompted by house repossessions, bankruptcies, company closures and job losses.

Quote of the Month

"Then there were Anti-Nazi League thugs who were baying like a pack of animals"

Tim Crowther, defeated Independent candidate at the Heckmondwike by-election.

Lib-Dem fraud & cover-up

BRITAIN'S first and only Portuguese councillor has resigned after being investigated for benefit fraud.

Gabriel Fernandes, who won Stockwell ward on Lambeth Council for the Liberal-Democrats last year, stood down from his duties in June. But the reason for his resignation was not made public until much later, leading to Labour claims of a Lib-Dem cover-up.

Tories veto flag

AN application to fly the St George's flag over the town hall at Rugby in Warwickshire has been turned down because it might be seen as racist.

Rugby's Conservative controlled council said that flying the flag might promote support for the British National Party and send out the 'wrong message to ethnic minorities'.

Our prisons can't cope & our police can't cope

FOREIGN prisoners outnumber UK citizens in a British jail for the first time in penal history.

The unfortunate establishment with this claim to fame is Morton Hall in Lincolnshire, but according to the Prison Service it is soon to be joined by two other prisons which are heading towards having a majority of foreign inmates.

One in seven of the record 74,000 jail population is a foreign citizen. Our overcrowded prisons now house people from more than 160 countries because of a steady increase in convictions for foreigners in the last four years.

The latest figures show that the percentage of foreign nationals, anyone without a UK passport, in our 138 jails has risen from 8% in 1999 to 13.1% in 2003.

If it appears that our prisons can't cope with the record levels of inmates, then neither can our police forces cope with the latest record levels of street crime.

Muggings in London are running at 164 a day and this is despite Tony Blair's much publicised crackdown on street crime. Thousands of extra police hours have done nothing to prevent muggings soaring from a level of 118 a day in 1999.

BRITAIN TODAY: One prisoner in seven is foreign. The Met has resorted to leaflets to stop muggings, and 86 year-old Nora Lea robbed at home.

In Lewisham in south London, muggings are at a record level after a 25% increase during the months of April and May this year. Overall crime in the borough for the same period stood at 5,097 offences, up 410 on twelve months ago, including a staggering 1,227 cars broken into or stolen.

The Metropolitan Police are so desperate to keep a lid on the situation that they have distributed leaflets throughout the capital asking people . . .

- **not to use short cuts - always keep to the main roads**
- **not to use cashpoints unless they are inside a bank**
- **not to use a mobile phone in the street**
- **not to wear jewellery in public .**

Unfortunately this advice wouldn't have helped 86 year-old Nora Lea who was beaten up in her own hallway and robbed of the pension she had just collected, when raiders broke into her Longstone Road home in Paignton, Devon.

Losing the war against crime but winning the battle to be PC

THEY might be losing the war against crime, but our police are certainly winning the battle to become more politically correct.

Hampshire Constabulary took officers off the beat to attend a two-day seminar where they were instructed how to police issues involving homosexuals and ethnic minorities.

In the county, when officers are attending callouts from the Sikh community, they have to take their helmets off and replace them with a headscarf to make it look like they are wearing a turban!

Bedfordshire Police have launched a campaign called *'Gay' Rainbow* to attract more homosexuals to the force. It's being run by Wayne Martin, who is Beds Police's regional co-ordinator for the 'Gay' Police Association.

THEY'RE SO PC: A special headscarf for policing Sikh issues, and Wayne Martin of 'Gay' Rainbow.

The Metropolitan Police have spent hard-earned taxpayers' money on publishing a manual dealing with the employment within the force of transsexuals.

The manual is clear that officers who have a sex change operation are entitled to 12 months leave to become acclimatised to their new sexuality. But it is not clear as to whether or not transsexuals should perform strip searches, as it is currently illegal for officers to strip-search members of the opposite sex!

Taxpayers pay for Blackburn's cabbies to learn English!

(and Geography and Arithmetic)

TAXI drivers in Blackburn and Darwen have been told to improve their English, Arithmetic and Geography or face losing their licence!

The Blackburn and Darwen Private Hire Association has warned the council over an influx of new drivers who can't understand English, are unable to work out the correct change to give and don't even know where the main roads in Blackburn are.

Now the council are providing funds so that drivers with language difficulties can have English lessons and be instructed in basic mathematics. They will also have guidance, with the help of a simple A to B test, to help them get to destinations within the borough.

KNOWLEDGE?: Yes of English!

Jeanette Hicks, the council's principal environmental health officer told the *Lancashire Evening Telegraph*:

""Safety is the main concern for passengers. It is important that the driver be able to understand simple requests, such as asking to stop due to ill-health, asking for help or just general redirections."

However, anti-racist groups in Blackburn have been angered by the council's initiative.

"This is blatant racism. Asian cabbies are being targeted because they don't fit the stereotype the majority population demands for its taxi drivers."

Such unsavoury behaviour from a Labour MP and a Tory councillor

WITH all their extra curricular activity there wasn't much time for Labour MP, Clive Betts, and Tory councillor, Phil Grayson to concentrate on looking after the needs of their electorate.

The MP for Sheffield Attercliffe was too busy doctoring immigration papers to extend the stay in Britain of a Brazilian rent-boy with whom he had a 'close relationship'.

Betts made Jose Gasparo his political adviser at Westminster, gave him £4,000 and took him on a holiday to Venice, but this cosy little arrangement was exposed after an investigation by immigration officials.

The Commons Standards and Privileges Committee found that the 53 year-old MP had acted "extremely foolishly" in agreeing to copy a doctored document which the Brazilian youngster hoped would help extend his stay in the UK. Betts was suspended from Parliament for seven days.

Tory councillor for Bracknell, Phil Grayson, was forced to resign from the Conservative Party after he emailed perverted photographs to someone he had met in an internet chat room.

IN DISGRACE: Labour's Clive Betts and the Tories' Phil Grayson.

The 45 year-old married father-of-two sent messages describing his sexual fantasies, as well as photographs of himself, taken in his bathroom, wearing a suspender belt, tights and no underwear.

Unfortunately for Grayson the photos and his sordid little story hit the headlines after the they were sent to every member of Bracknell Forest Borough Council.

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BNP looks for votes in the North, South and Midlands

THE contesting of three council by-elections in three different areas of Britain, and all wards being fought for the first time, provides the British National Party with a fair indicator of the level of our public support at this time across the country.

In the South-East, Nicholas Geri stands in Grays Riverside ward for Thurrock Council in Essex. The ward is a Labour stronghold with their candidate polling half of the votes cast. But the turnout then was just 15% which means that nearly six out of seven voters didn't feel inspired to go out and vote for any of the parties standing for election.

Early canvas returns still show that apathy rules in Riverside, although BNP workers in the ward do believe they have created a fair amount of interest which might turn into a level of support that could challenge the Conservatives for second place.

In Walker ward for Newcastle City Council in the North East, BNP Regional Organiser, Kevin Scott, is very hopeful of polling 10% of the vote in a ward where three years ago Labour was polling nine out of every ten votes cast.

"The postal ballot does help Labour," Kevin told *Freedom*.

"Jonathan Keys and our small but hard-working team have been making an impact in Walker because the asylum issue is creeping up the political agenda.

"I would be very hopeful of beating the Tory candidate into fourth place and mounting some sort of challenge to the Liberal-Democrats for the runners-up berth."

Two weeks after the Grays and Walker elections, voters in Abbey Green in Stoke go to the polls.

The ward is a stronghold for the Independents, although their image has been tarnished somewhat by the defection to Labour of Andrew Wragg, who was elected on an Independent ticket.

This has upset many voters in a ward where there is a high number of retired home-owners.

"This is an issue here in Abbey Hulton", one gentleman from the local residents' association told a BNP canvassing team.

"That fellow, Wragg, was elected as an Independent and then jumped ship to Labour. What's to say it won't happen again. If I had wanted a Labour councillor, I would have voted Labour. I think the BNP will find people here ready to listen to what they have to say."

Although the British National Party has never fought Abbey Green before, at the May council elections in Norton and Bradeley the party did poll nearly 23%, coming third behind Labour and the Independents.

Candidate John West told *Freedom*: "We have been delivering leaflets in Abbey Hulton for several weeks and the response is very good. People are concerned about crime, drugs and the number of refugees, and we are very hopeful of polling well on September 18th."

EURO-ELECTION WATCH

To keep on track for our June 2004 European Election targets, the British National Party needs to be polling the following percentages :

GRAYS RIVERSIDE 12%
WALKER 17%
ABBEY GREEN 12%

Hear the election results as they are announced by calling the BNP information line on 0906 553 2245

September's Election Factfile

Thursday 4th September 2003
THURROCK COUNCIL
Grays Riverside Ward
Nicholas Edwards - Conservative
NICHOLAS GERI - BNP
John Livermore - Lib-Dem
Remia Sear - Labour
Last time: 2nd May 2002
J. Kent (Lab) 484 (50.1%)
Ms. F. Rigby (Con) 282 (29.7%)
B. Livermore (Lib-Dem) 182 (20.2%)
Turnout:14.74%

Thursday 4th September 2003
NEWCASTLE CITY COUNCIL
Walker Ward
JONATHAN KEYS - BNP
John McLennan - Lib-Dem
Joseph Prince - Conservative
John Stokel-Walker - Labour
Last Time: 1st May 2003.
J. Cunningham (Lab) 1,632 (74.4%)
W. Gravell (Lib-Dem) 360 (16.4%)
J. Prince (Con) 142 (6.5%)
M. Levy (Com) 60 (2.7%)
Turnout 47.7%

Thursday 18th September 2003
STOKE-ON-TRENT COUNCIL
Abbey Green Ward
Shaun Bennett - Conservative
David Frost - Socialist
Don McLean - Independent
Maxine Morrow - Lib-Dem
Paul Sutton - Labour
JOHN WEST - BNP
Last Time: 1st May 2003
D. Povey (Ind) 1150 (49.9%)
R. Booth (Lab) 853 (37.3%)
R. Costall (Con) 303 (12.8%
Turnout:26.1%

STOKE ELECTION: "I hope you'll soon be joining me on the council", BNP councillor, Steve Batkin (right) tells Abbey Green hopeful, John West.

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INDUSTRY: British ownership and control of British industry and resources, including the mass media. Protection of British jobs and industry by selective exclusion of foreign manufactured goods from the British market.

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EDUCATION: A return to traditional methods of education, with stronger discipline in the classroom and an end to 'trendy' teaching methods which have failed our children so badly.

ENVIRONMENT: A healthy environment for a healthy people - the protection of our countryside; a ban on greenfield-site house building except in exceptional cases of genuine local need and an end to field trials of genetically modified crops.

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DEFENCE: An alternative defence strategy based on the principle of armed neutrality. No British blood should be shed in conflicts which do not involve British interests. The restoration of the County Regiment system and the reversal of defence cuts which have weakened our Armed Forces and cost thousands of jobs.

REMEMBER! It doesn't matter if you don't agree with us on every last thing. Like all other democratic political parties, the BNP includes some members who disagree with one or two policies. Just ask yourself whether you agree with more of our policies than those of the other parties. Most people do, which is why we are the fastest growing political party in Britain today.

The Freedom and Trafalgar Club stalls

A 'Question Time' forum late on Saturday afternoon attracted a lot of interest

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Scenes from the final day including the creche, more stalls, children enjoying the proceedings, preparing for the fly-past photo, the balloon release, under the big top, and Nick and Jackie Griffin thanking the members for their support of the BNP's annual showcase event.

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Bexley branch's August meeting

THE August meeting of the Bexley Branch of the British National Party was chaired by local fundholder, Colin Smith.

Organiser, James Seadon, spoke briefly on local activities, the launch of the GLA campaign and what those present could do to help.

Recent recruit and Barkingside by election candidate, Julian Leppert, then gave a humourous talk on his experiences during that campaign, encouraging more members to come forward as candidates.

Basildon organiser, Matt Single, then gave a political address including why he had joined the party and the dangers facing the British people and the reasons for it.

There were around 50 members and supporters in attendance and the collection raised in excess of £300.

MATT SINGLE: Main speaker.

Southend BNP

AT A full-to-capacity August meeting of Southend BNP, local chairman, Robert Smyth, informed those present of a local leaflet he was working on which attacked the proposed increase in council tax.

Organiser, Graham John, gave details of the weekly leafletting activity where over 1,000 pieces of party literature are distributed.

Fundholder, Glenn Burton, reported a very healthy balance of funds after detailing expenditure, which was further boosted by a record collection.

Guest speaker for the evening was veteran BNP activist, Richard Edmonds, who detailed the catalogue of lies, corruption and decay which has hallmarked the Tory and Labour governments of the last fifty years.

At the end of the meeting four new members then came forward and signed up for the weekly leafletting session.

PREPARATION: Western Counties regional management team formulating plans for the Euro 2004.

Bristol and Western Counties BNP prepare for the European Elections

by Robert Baggs

A MEETING of the Bristol and Western Counties Regional Management Team took place on one of the hottest days of the year in early August at a very pleasant location in the heart of Wiltshire.

The meeting was held to build on the impressive progress made in the region so far this year in which there has been an 80% increase in membership, the distribution of over 50,000 leaflets on local issues printed on the regional digital printer and an expectation of several new groups being formed in, amongst others, the Kennet and Frome areas.

The morning session, launched by Regional Chairman, Robert Baggs, included discussion on a wide range of subjects including communication, administration, finance, party activities and planning for both next years local council and European elections. During the latter it was announced that over £4,000 had already been pledged towards the EU election fund.

After a buffet lunch, containing local produce, an afternoon session in the on-site cinema, chaired by the region's media spokesman, Peter Hunter, was held.

Plans for the introduction of seminars to train party members in how to deal with the media were discussed.

A high priority has been given to this to ensure that the party is ready for the anticipated increase in media interest in the run up to the European elections.

All present agreed that the day had been extremely useful in planning the way forward for the remainder of 2003 and would consequently lead to continued growth in the region and also looked forward to the introduction of the training seminars in the very near future.

From an almost standing start a couple of years ago the Bristol and Western Counties half of the South West region looks like becoming a major player in the development of the party nationally.

It's sour grapes from Labour in Darlington

LABOUR is up in arms after a Darlington community group offered a British National Party candidate at last May's elections, a position on its committee.

Trevor Agnew, 32, who polled 11.3% for the BNP in Harrowgate Hill ward, was invited to become treasurer for the Harrowgate Hill Community Association which has prominent Conservatives and Liberal Democrats on its committee.

The three Labour ward councillors in Harrowgate Hill have refused any contact with the group, and issued a statement saying:

"It's terrible to see this group placing a BNP member at the centre of its affairs."

Darlington MP, Alan Milburn, said that any BNP involvement in the community caused alarm bells to ring, while Darlington Borough Council cabinet member, Nick Wallis, described it as a dangerous development for Darlington.

"The British National Party will gain respectability if linked with community groups. It is reprehensible that Tories and Liberal Democrats are prepared to sit round the table with Mr Agnew."

But Trevor dismissed Labour's attack on him as sour grapes after the BNP's electoral inroads into the Labour vote in the North East. He told *Freedom:*

"Labour's reaction is extreme. It is ridiculous to say that people of certain opinions can't be involved in community politics. We are there as individuals working for the good of the town."

Chairman of the Association, Conservative Anne Harrison, said she was disappointed with Labour's reaction:

"Trevor's British National Party membership doesn't come into it. We are a group of people of all political persuasions willing to work together to better our community."

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BNP LEADER AT SECRET MEETING

Now we hit the headlines in Ipswich!

THERE has been huge interest in the British National Party in Ipswich after extensive coverage in the local media following a BNP meeting addressed by party chairman, Nick Griffin.

A local reporter was amongst 40 members and supporters at the meeting in a community hall in nearby Rushmere St Andrew and heard the BNP leader explain the importance of Suffolk and Norfolk to the party at the European Elections.

"We can poll sufficient votes in Hertfordshire and Essex to win the East of England Euro seat, but we need to work hard in Suffolk and Norfolk to make sure we don't lose out," Nick told the audience.

Labour and Conservative councillors were livid that the meeting was allowed to take place without them knowing, and refused to allow the party the use of council property in the future.

Deputy council leader, David Ellesmere, told the *Ipswich Evening Star*:

"The BNP is an extremist organisation and is not welcome in Ipswich. We have very good community relations and I am sure that these people will be given short shrift by voters."

But a local BNP spokeman responded:

"The BNP is a mainstream political party committed to offering the British people a democratic vote on whether they want to continue the multi-racial experiment."

Lincoln leaflets

THERE was a good reception for 12 members of Lincoln BNP when they distributed 2,000 leaflets in the city at the beginning of August.

"Keep up the good work", was the verdict of many residents, while others said they were pleased to see the BNP getting active in local politics.

As well as regular leafletting sessions, the new group hopes to hold a meeting in the near future.

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Manchester branch prepares for June 2004

MORE than 80 members and supporters packed the August meeting of Manchester BNP and gave an enthusiastic reception to the mainspeaker of the evening, Ivan Duxbury, from Clitheroe.

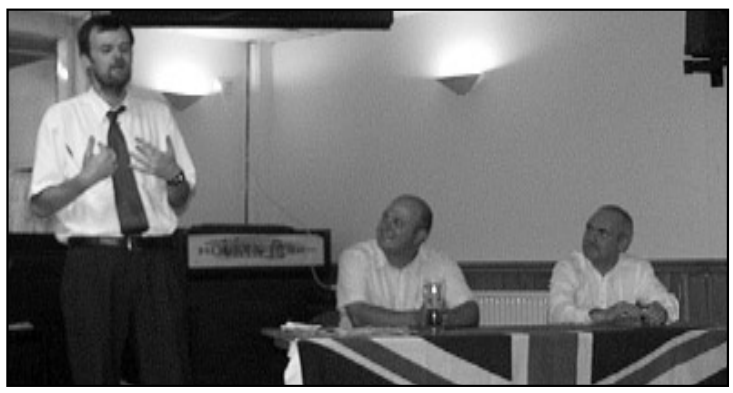
Ivan asked those present to view themselves as ambassadors for the BNP and to always put their brain into action before opening their mouth. He told the audience:

"British National Party members can do 20 good things a day and the media will ignore it. But the moment we do one bad thing, they jump on it and try and turn it into a scandal."

Ivan said the next 12 months were of huge importance to the BNP on a local and national level. He said if we get MEP`s elected it will be our first serious step towards gaining power.

The meeting was chaired by North Manchester organiser, Gary King. He gave a brief round up of local and national stories that were of interest to nationalists and then introduced Oldham chairman, Stuart Fullard.

Stuart said that anyone who put their name forward as a BNP candidate could get elected and hence would be expected to speak to the public, journalists and in the council chambers. He said the BNP now run regular speakers' clubs and candidate education lessons and he urged anyone contemplating standing as a candidate to enrole in them.



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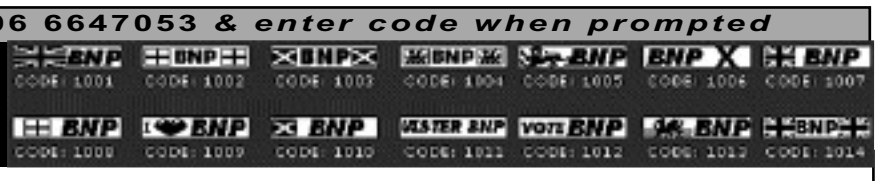

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RODNEY'S PILLAR: Sandwell councillor, John Salvage (left), takes a breather at the summit with Nick Griffin and the rest of the walkers.

BNP chairman joins West Midlands' fundraising walk

AN amazing £634.00 was raised for the Euro-Election fund by the Black Country, Walsall, and Birmingham BNP branches, after a challenging 1,100ft sponsored walk up to Rodney's Pillar, on the English/ Welsh border.

More than forty menbers of the British National Party, including pensioners and children, were joined by BNP chairman, Nick Griffin, to complete the strenuous walk in a near record time of under two hours. Much-respected Black Country activist, Anne Willets, placed a Union Flag at the summit to record the achievement.

The weather was fine throughout, and after their exertions, the walkers enjoyed an excellent spread at the Admiral Rodney pub.

'Bringing on back the good times'

BNP adopt campaign theme tune

IN recent years Labour's election campaigns have been boosted by adopting a theme tune, which when played makes their supporters and potential voters feel good about the Labour Party and life in general.

Past favourites helping Tony Blair on the election trail have been the Lighthouse Family's *'Lifted'* and D:Ream's *'Things Can Only Get Better'* which helped bring election success in 1997.

Now the British National Party have launched their theme tune for the 2004 Euro Elections, and have delved back nearly 25 years to bring new life to the Love Affair's Top Ten hit *"Bringing on back the good times."*

The adoption of the song, which was played to supporters during the RWB festival and got a big thumbs up, is the brainchild of the BNP's elections' guru, Eddy Butler, who told *Freedom*:

"It's just a catchy tune. There's no political message, it does what music should do - makes people feel good when listening to it. It's a simple theme - bringing back the good times - which the BNP wants to do - and it's accompanied by a melody that stays in your mind. If you listened to people over the RWB weekend, they were all humming it."

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